

PATENT Attorney Docket No. 05273.0096

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re	Application of:	)	
Akira Suzuki et al.		) )	Group Art Unit: 1796
Application No.: 10/526,503 )		) )	Examiner: Saira Bano Haider
Filed:	March 4, 2005	) )	
For:	Method for Preparation of Microsphere and Apparatus Therefor	) )	Confirmation No.: 9248
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450			
Sir:			

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants petition for a three-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action of August 20, 2008. A fee of \$1,110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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